

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>Mail Stop AF</b>
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2008, reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested.